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In re application of:

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Application No.: 10/698.025

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COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS -NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

I. This replies to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (PTO-1533) mailed February 9, 2004.

A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application—Filing Date Granted (Form PTO-1533) is enclosed.

DECLARATION OR OATH

II. No declaration or oath was filed. Enclosed is the original declaration or oath for this application.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.8(a) and 1.10*

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COMPLETION FEES

III.

1. Filing Fee
Original patent application

\$770.00

Fees for Claims
 Each independent claim in excess of 3

\$172.00

Each claim in excess of 20

\$540.00

3. Surcharge Fees
Late payment of filing fee
and/or late filing of original
declaration or oath

\$130.00

Total Completion Fees

\$1,612.00

EXTENSION OF TIME

IV. The proceedings herein are for a patent application, and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) apply.

Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

TOTAL FEE DUE

V. The total fee due is:

Completion fees
Extension fee (if any)
Total Fee Due

\$1,612.00

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PAYMENT OF FEES

VI. Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of \$1,612.00 to Deposit Account No. 500348. Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above.

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
 Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.
 A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

Additional claim fees of \$712 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are
required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1612 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$712
 - \$172 for 2 independent claims over 3.
 - \$540 for 30 total claims over 20.

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